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# RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Dear Sir:

Applicant submits herein a copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, mailed 03 November 2003, wherein the Office of Initial Patent Examination requires the submission of replacement drawings.

As required by the Notice, Applicant submits herewith a complete set (13 sheets) of replacement figures 1-24, in compliance with 37 CFR §§ 1.84 and 1.121. These figures serve to replace original figures 1-24. There are no substantive changes between original figures 1-24 and replacement figures 1-24.

As errors regarding reference numbers were discovered while preparing replacement Figures 1-24, a Preliminary Amendment with 6 pages of corrected drawings is submitted concurrently herewith. No new matter is introduced in the preliminary amendment.

Applicant believes no fees are due; however, if any fee is deemed necessary in connection with this Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, the Page 1 of 2

Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 12-0600.

Should any issues remain outstanding in connection with the Notice mailed 03 November 2003, or in connection with this Response, the Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted:

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 15,17,21,22,23,24.
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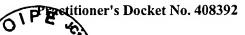
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- 3. Replacement Drawings; Figs. 1-24 (13 pages)
- 4. Copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed 11/3/2003 (1 page);
- 5. Preliminary Amendment including 6 sheets of Corrected Drawings (11 pages);
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